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1. During the month of February 1950, the USIA-controlled firm, C.P. Goerz GmbH, Vienna X, Sonnleithnergasse 5, dismissed a large number of workers who had been employed in the divisions of its plant manufacturing signal equipment and measuring devices. USIA has already placed all former Goerz employees who are members of the Austrian Communist Party in other USIA enterprises. It is rumored that Goerz may be forced to shut down its optical instruments division, because the present demand for this type of Goerz product is minimal."

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